Winter Weather Briefing Friday, February 28, 2014



For South Central Indiana and Central Kentucky

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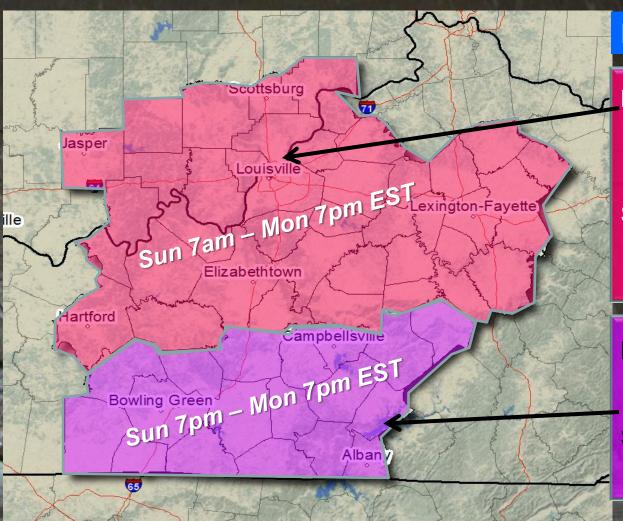




Winter Storm Watch

Significant Accumulations of Snow, Sleet, and Freezing Rain Are Possible





Forecast Accums:

Ice:

S Indiana 0.25+" N Kentucky 0.25-0.75"

Snow:

S Indiana 2 - 4+" N Kentucky 1 - 4"

Ice:

S Kentucky 0.25-0.5"

Snow:

S Kentucky Up to 2"

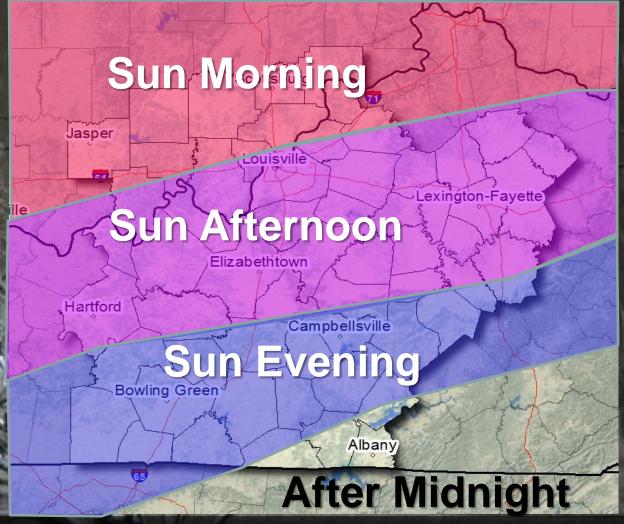




Timing of Winter Storm

Start of Ice/Snow









Winds Sun Night - Mon



=Windy

Sun Night:

North Winds of 10-15 mph Gusts up to 25 mph

Monday:

North Winds of 15-20 mph Gusts 30 mph

Temperatures After the Storm



Monday
Night
Lows
Around 0
north to
low teens
south

Wind Chills
-10 north to
low single
digits south

Tuesday

Highs
Mid 20s
north to
Mid 30s
south

Tuesday
Night
Lows
Around 10
north to low
20s south

Wednesday

Highs
Mid 30s
north to
Upper 40s
south



Forecasted Impacts



Timing: Freezing rain and sleet are forecast to start during the morning Sunday across southern Indiana. A changeover to snow is then expected toward late Sunday night. Across central and north central KY, expect rain Sunday morning. Precipitation will then change to freezing rain and sleet Sunday afternoon, before ending as a brief bout of snow on Monday. Across south central KY, expect rain through the day Sunday, changing over to freezing rain and sleet Sunday evening before ending in snow on Monday.

<u>Snow Accumulations:</u> Significant snow accumulations, 4-6", are expected across **southern Indiana**. Light snow accumulations, 1-3", are possible across **central Kentucky**.

<u>lce Accumulations:</u> Significant ice accumulations are forecast **across the region**, with many locations seeing 0.25" of ice. At this time, the best chance for a half inch or more of ice looks to be across **central Kentucky**.

Road Impacts: Snow or ice accumulations will negatively impact road conditions and difficult driving conditions likely will last at least into Tuesday.

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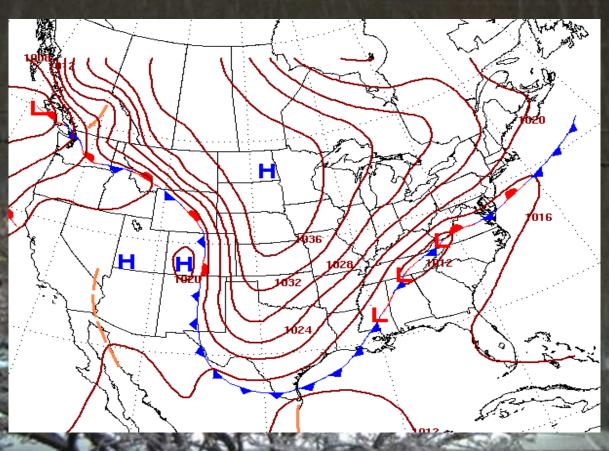


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Overview





- -A series of surface low pressure areas will pass to our south Sunday night and Monday. Meanwhile, arctic air will be filtering into the Ohio Valley from the north. This will set the stage for a wintry mix of precipitation for a prolonged period Sunday through Monday.
- Stay up to date of the latest forecasts through the weekend as a slight shift in the storm track could mean big changes to forecast precipitation type.

